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J2F422XA	Beaded Jewellery - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£46	£38	How to create earrings, bracelets and necklaces to match all your outfits. Fee includes materials
J2C471CA	Beaded Jewellery - Beginners	Stantonbury Campus	27/02/2013	We	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Have fun and save money by making your own gifts
J2D438XA	Creative Textiles - Further Techniques	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	19:00	21:30	8 wks	£105	£84	Hand dying, shibori and screen printing with the option to start a City and Guilds Level 2 Award
J2F427XA	Creative Writing - Short Stories - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Insights into plot construction and characterisation
J2B448WA	Creative Writing - Novel Writing for Beginners	MK Academy	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	8 wks	£105	£84	How to structure, plan and write for a range of genres and audiences
J2A478CA	Creative Writing - Novel Writing - Improvers	Stantonbury Campus	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	21:30	5 wks	£65	£52	A continuation course for those who have completed the Beginners course
J2A410XA	Dance - Ballet - Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	07/01/2013	Mo	19:15	20:15	10 wks	£53	£42	Basic barre work for beginners or those who haven't practised since childhood
J2C470XA	Dance - Ballet - Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	09/01/2013	We	20:45	21:45	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners moving on from Ballet - Beginners
J2B446XA	Dance - Ballet - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	08/01/2013	Tu	20:45	21:45	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners with some experience who want to develop a classical routine
J2A411CA	Dance - Ballroom & Latin American - Absolute Beginners	Stantonbury Campus	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	20:00	10 wks	£53	£42	Tango, waltz or cha-cha-cha - the choice is yours
J2A409CA	Dance - Ballroom & Latin American - Improvers	Stantonbury Campus	14/01/2013	Mo	20:15	21:15	10 wks	£53	£42	Move on from Beginners to learn new dances and improve your technique
J2B460WA	Bollywood Just Jhoom - Beginners	MK Academy	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	20:00	10 wks	£53	£42	Improve your fitness while learning some sassy new moves
J2C467CA	Dance - Bollywood for Beginners	Stantonbury Campus	16/01/2013	We	19:00	20:00	10 wks	£53	£42	Enjoy the distinctive music and movement of this popular dance style
J2B447XA	Dance - Jazz - Intermediate	Rivers ACE Centre	08/01/2013	Tu	19:30	20:30	10 wks	£53	£42	Learners have the option of taking dance examinations
J2C466XA	Dance - Tap - Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	09/01/2013	We	18:15	19:15	10 wks	£53	£42	For absolute beginners and those returning after a long break
J2D435XA	Dance - Tap - Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	10/01/2013	Th	19:30	20:30	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners moving on from Tap Beginners/Beginners Plus
J2C473XA	Dance - Tap - Intermediate	Rivers ACE Centre	09/01/2013	We	19:30	20:30	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners moving on from Tap Improvers
J2D434XA	Dance - Tap - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	10/01/2013	Th	20:45	21:45	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners moving on from Tap Intermediate
J2C472XA	Drawing Skills 1	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	12:45	14:45	10 wks	£105	£84	Learn how to look, how to see, how to draw things as they are
J2F424XA	Drawing with Pen & Ink - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	16/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Experience the delights of working creatively with this expressive medium
J2B451GA	Drawing for All	Great Linford Arts Workshop	15/01/2013	Tu	13:00	15:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Carefully planned to build your confidence whatever your prior experience
J2C462ZA	Drawing & Painting - Advanced	Madcap Arts Centre	16/01/2013	We	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Ideal for learners wishing to work collaboratively towards themed exhibitions
J2C477CA	Dressmaking - Improvers	Stantonbury Campus	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	For learners who have completed a Beginners course in the recent past and wish to use more complex patterns
J2F426XA	Felt Jewellery for Vintage Fashion	Rivers ACE Centre	02/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£46	£38	Low cost original accessories for yourself and your friends. Fee includes basic materials
J2B442XA	Interior Design - Beginners & Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	25/02/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	15 wks	£158	£126	Create designs, mood boards and plans for a living room or home office
J2F416GA	Jewellery - an Introduction	Great Linford Arts Workshop	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£46	£38	Create a simple piece to take home. Fee includes basic materials
J2B457GA	Jewellery & Silversmithing - Beginners*	Great Linford Arts Workshop	15/01/2013	Tu	13:00	15:00	10 wks	£120	£96	An introduction to silversmithing and jewellery design
J2A407GA	Jewellery & Silversmithing - Beginners*	Great Linford Arts Workshop	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£120	£96	An introduction to silversmithing and jewellery design
J2D443GA	Jewellery & Silversmithing - Project Based	Great Linford Arts Workshop	17/01/2013	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£120	£96	Move on from Beginners to more adventurous projects
J2B453GA	Jewellery & Silversmithing - Project Based*	Great Linford Arts Workshop	26/02/2013	Tu	10:00	12:00	5 wks	£60	£48	Move on from Beginners to more adventurous projects
J2F423GA	Jewellery & Silversmithing - Precious Metal Clay*	Great Linford Arts Workshop	16/03/2013	Sat	09:30	16:30	1 day	£70	£61	Create several individual pieces. Fee includes basic materials
J2F415GA	Kiln Glass - an Introduction	Great Linford Arts Workshop	16/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	First steps in fusing clear and coloured glass to make small decorative items
J2C465XA	Landscape Techniques in Watercolour - Beginners/Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	09/01/2013	We	12:30	14:30	10 wks	£105	£84	Step-by-step guidance to produce finished landscape paintings
J2F418GA	Life Drawing	Great Linford Arts Workshop	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£52	£44	Carefully structured to cover a range of techniques and media to inspire and build your confidence. Fee includes model costs
J2B452GA	Life Drawing - Advanced	Great Linford Arts Workshop	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£135	£111	For learners with some previous experience of drawing who want to focus on the figure. Fee includes model costs
J2F429XA	Machine Embroidery - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	02/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Create two small pictures using free machine stitchery. Suitable for beginners
J2D431XA	Machine Sewing - Absolute Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	10:00	12:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Simple practical or seasonal projects for those new to using a machine
J2D439XA	Machine Sewing - Absolute Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	28/02/2013	Th	10:00	12:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Simple practical or seasonal projects for those new to using a machine
J2A402XA	Machine Sewing – Beginners & Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	14/01/2013	Mo	12:30	14:30	10 wks	£105	£84	Choose to make clothes from commercial patterns or small made-to-measure home furnishings
J2C463XA	Machine Sewing – Beginners & Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Choose to make clothes from commercial patterns or small made-to-measure home furnishings
J2B455WA	Music - Keyboards for Beginners	MK Academy	15/01/2013	Tu	18:45	20:15	10 wks	£79	£63	Learn the basics by playing popular songs. Keyboards are provided.
J2B476WA	Music - Keyboards for Improvers	MK Academy	15/01/2013	Tu	20:15	21:15	10 wks	£53	£42	For learners who have completed a Keyboard Beginners course in the recent past
J2C474CA	Painting in Acrylics - Beginners & Improvers	Stantonbury Campus	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Learn or refresh your skills using both brushes and palette knife
J2D433XA	Painting in Oils - Beginners & Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Learn or refresh your skills using both brushes and palette knife
J2F417GA	Pottery - an Introduction	Great Linford Arts Workshop	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£46	£38	Learn a range of interesting techniques & prepare your first pot for firing. Fee includes materials
J2D440GA	Pottery - Beginners and Improvers	Great Linford Arts Workshop	17/01/2013	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Moulding and throwing for both new and continuing learners
J2B459GA	Pottery for All	Great Linford Arts Workshop	15/01/2013	Tu	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	A flexible mixed ability approach with sturctured support for new learners
J2F412XA	Printmaking - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Create effective monotype/monoprints using a small press
J2F428XA	Sculpture - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	02/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£46	£38	Paper, wire and clay modelling for beginners. Fee includes basic materials
J2E400XA	Silk Painting for Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	18/01/2013	Fr	10:30	12:30	5 weeks	£53	£42	Beautiful watercolour effects with the added benefit of being wearable
J2A401XA	Stained Glass - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	04/03/2013	Mo	19:00	21:30	12 wks	£158	£126	For learners moving on from Level 1 or 2; City & Guilds accreditation can be offered as an optional extra
J2F413XA	Stained Glass - An Introduction - Copper Foil	Rivers ACE Centre	02/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Basic techniques to cut and join glass safely to create a decorative lightcatcher
J2D436XA	Stained Glass - Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	07/03/2013	Th	19:00	21:30	12 wks	£158	£126	Learn how to design and craft your own stained glass panels
J2B461XA	Upholstery - Beginners & Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:30	8 wks	£105	£84	Professional techniques to recover a small antique or modern piece
J2A475ZA	Watercolour Painting - Beginners	MK Gallery	14/01/2013	Mo	14:00	16:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Further techniques and confidence building for learners with a little experience
J2B456XA	Watercolour Painting - Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	New themes and approaches for learners moving on from Beginners
J2B458XA	Watercolour Painting - Intermediate	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	13:30	15:30	10 wks	£105	£84	Build your confidence with new techniques and approaches
J2D441GA	Watercolour Painting for All	Great Linford Arts Workshop	17/01/2013	Th	19:30	21:30	10 wks	£105	£84	A flexible mixed ability approach with structured support for new learners
J2F419GA	Woodcarving - an Introduction	Great Linford Arts Workshop	09/03/2013	Sat	13:00	16:00	1 day	£19	£15	Create a simple relief from your own or the tutor's design
Business Skills										
Q2F415XA	Feel the Fear and Do it Anyway!	Rivers ACE Centre	19/01/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Inspiring you with changes for life
Q2F403XA	Learn to Speak with Confidence at Presentations, Public Events and Meetings	Rivers ACE Centre	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	The title says it all!
Q2A404AQ	Manual Bookkeeping - OCR Level 1 Award	Rivers ACE Centre	14/01/2013	Mo	09:30	13:00	10 wks	£202	£0	Learn the basic principles of the double entry book keeping system
Q2B417WQ	Manual Bookkeeping – OCR Level 2 Certificate	MK Academy	26/2/2013	Tu	19:00	21:30	17 wks	£252	£0	Progress from Level 1 and extend your understanding of the principles of double-entry bookkeeping
Q2E400XA	Minute Taking Skills	Rivers ACE Centre	08/03/2013	Fr	09:30	15:30	1 day	£40	£32	Learn how to take and present minutes effectively
Q2F401XA	Minute Taking Skills	Rivers ACE Centre	23/03/2013	Sat	09:30	15:30	1 day	£40	£32	Learn how to take and present minutes effectively
Q2F406XA	NLP - Neuro-Linguistic Programming - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Use your thought processes to greater effect and improve rapport with others
Q2B408WA	NLP - Neuro-Linguistic Programming - an Introduction	MK Academy	26/02/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Use your thought processes to greater effect and improve rapport with others
Q2B416XQ	Sage - Computerised Accounts - Level 1 - Fast Track	Rivers ACE Centre	08/01/2013	Tu	09:15	12:15	8 wks	£132	£0	Learn how to use Sage Line 50 software effectively
Q2C410XQ	Sage - Computerised Accounts - Level 1 - Fast Track	Rivers ACE Centre	09/01/2013	We	09:30	14:00	6 wks	£132	£0	Learn how to use Sage Line 50 software effectively
Q2D402XQ	Sage - Computerised Accounts - Level 2	Rivers ACE Centre	28/02/2013	Th	19:00	21:00	15 wks	£159	£0	Build on Level 1 and process more complex transactions using Sage Line 50 software
Q2C405XQ	Sage - Computerised Accounts - Level 2 - Fast Track	Rivers ACE Centre	27/02/2013	We	09:30	15:30	5 wks	£159	£0	Build on Level 1 and process more complex transactions using Sage Line 50 software
Q2F414XA	Starting up a Small Business - Finance and Tax affairs	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Finance and tax affairs, business plans, development
Q2F413XA	Starting up a Small Business - What you need to Know	Rivers ACE Centre	19/01/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Consider types of business, legal matters, sales and marketing
Computer Skills										
F2E400XA	Excel - Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	01/03/2013	Fr	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	More features of Excel - including database functions and customising charts and graphs
F2F407XA	Excel - Macros	Rivers ACE Centre	16/03/2013	Sat	10:00	13:00	1 day	£19	£15	Automate your tasks by recording and running macros
F2F421XA	Cloud Computing with Google Drive	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/13	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	A practical 'how to' introduction to the benefits of using the cloud
F2D414XA	HTML Web Page Creation - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	28/02/2013	Th	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Learn what HTML is and decide if you want to use it to create your own web page
F2D413XA	HTML Web Page Creation - Beyond the Basics	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	How to create a web page and insert hyperlinks
F2F406XA	Internet - e-bay - all you need to know about selling	Rivers ACE Centre	02/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	How to set up an account and sell safely
F2F418XA	Introduction to Computers - Next Steps	Rivers ACE Centre	27/02/2013	We	10:00	12:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Layout including margins, tables and columns
F2F402CA	Introduction to Computers - Next Steps	Stantonbury Campus	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Layout including margins, tables and columns
F2F408XA	Powerpoint and Presentation Skills	Rivers ACE Centre	23/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Prepare PowerPoint slides then practise giving your talk

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Golden Greg gets New Year MBE

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Nativity scene may be axed after thefts

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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A FIGURE of the baby Jesus has been stolen three times over Christmas from one of the borough's favourite nativity scenes.

The small figure was taken from the nativity on the High Street in Newport Pagnell for the third time late on Boxing Day night, and youths were then seen kicking it around in the street.

The baby Jesus was also stolen twice in 2011.

Now members of the voluntary committee which arranges the nativity, along with the Christmas lights in the town, say they are considering scrapping it next year.

This would also include the tree, which has been damaged and had bulbs stolen from it this Christmas.

In a letter sent to MK NEWS and on the group's Facebook page, one member says they are 'loathe to install either the nativity or tree next year'.

"We want to improve the overhead light displays but can't while we are having to repair mindless damage to other things. This is not a decision we take lightly as it means, yet again, the minority spoil things for the majority but we can think of no other options," the letter added.

The group is made up completely of volunteers, who begin their preparations in September and give up their own time to install the displays.

They also receive no council funding so it is completely paid for through donations.

Missing: The little figure of the baby Jesus has been taken from this nativity scene on Newport Pagnell High Street. Members of the voluntary Christmas lights and decorations group are considering scrapping the nativity next Xmas

Mark Lombardo is the committee's treasurer, and he said the group will meet in a few weeks to decide what to do.

He said: "We are doing this for the good of the town.

"But we've got mindless people that seem determined to spoil Christmas. I don't know what their reason is.

"The baby Jesus doll was actually screwed down, so they've gone to the extremes of pulling it out.

"We are all volunteers, and why should we use our time to put this up if people are ruining it?

"We've got a committee meeting in January when we will discuss what we are going to do."

Thames Valley Police confirmed it was called to a report of vandalism to the display at 11.46pm on Boxing Day, but officers found it to be intact so no other action will be taken.

CCTV is now being asked for, along with witnesses to the incidents.

If you can help or can make suggestions on how to tackle these issues, contact the group at their website www.npcl.info.

Man's jaw broken on Xmas Day

A MAN needed an operation to wire his jaw after a brawl in the early hours of Christmas Day.

At about 3.30am a fight broke out near to Harvester and McDonald's at the front of the Xscape building in CMK. Around eight to ten people were involved.

The victim, aged 22, and another man started pushing each other before punches were thrown. One man was then handed a large wooden pole which he used to hit the victim twice around the head.

The offender then pushed back others who were in the group and kicked the victim in the head as he lay on the floor, before walking away.

The victim's jaw was broken and some of his teeth knocked out. He spent Christmas Day in hospital having surgery to wire his jaw, and has since been discharged.

Thames Valley Police are now appealing for witnesses. The offender is white, in his late teens to early 20s, and was wearing a white shirt buttoned all the way up to the collar and tucked into light coloured jeans or trousers.

His hair is dark blonde to light brown and he may have light facial hair.

DC Leanne Shepherd, who is investigating the assault, said: "This was a vicious attack using great force with a weapon and could have resulted in even more serious injuries.

"There were up to 20 other people in the area at the time of the assault, however no witnesses have come forward.

"I am urging these people to contact me via the 24-hour Police Enquiry Centre on 101."

Anyone with information can also call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111 or www.crimestoppers-uk.org.

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'PASSENGER ASSISTANTS (SCHOOL ESCORTS) REQUIRED'

Golden boy: Olympian Greg Rutherford has been awarded an MBE along with, *inset*, Raymond 'Jerry' Roberts

Gongs for Greg and Bletchley hero 'Jerry'

BY DAN PALMER
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OLYMPIC champion Greg Rutherford and a Bletchley Park codebreaker are among those recognised in the New Year's Honours List.

Long jump gold medallist Rutherford was made an MBE and is among a host of London 2012 heroes to be recognised with a gong.

He said: "I can't wait to receive my MBE. What an absolute honour. I'm over the moon to say the least.

"I wanted to shout about it as soon as I received the letter. But now you know."

Rutherford leapt to Olympic glory with a distance of 8.31 metres on a night of athletics dubbed Super Saturday.

Meanwhile, 92-year-old Raymond 'Jerry' Roberts has also been awarded an MBE for being part of the famous codebreaking team credited with shortening the Second World War by two years.

Mr Roberts, who despite his age is an active user of Twitter, was part of a team charged with cracking the German High Command's Tunny code. He paid tribute to others who he feels deserve to be recognised.

"The award seems to undervalue my codebreaker colleagues, who broke Hitler's top secret code and helped shorten the war," he said.

"It will raise public awareness that some of Britain's greatest heroes have not yet been acknowledged."

Caroline Ward, founder and Manager of the Little Oaks Community Nursery in Wavendon, has become an MBE for services to Special Needs Education.

The former Leon School teacher said: "I was absolutely flabbergasted when I got the letter, I had no idea whatsoever.

"I can't even say it was in my wildest dreams, because I hadn't even dreamt it. I just felt so humbled, privileged and honoured."

Milton Keynes' Jabeer Karim Butt, deputy chief executive of the Race Equality Foundation, was made an OBE for services to health equality.

MKNEWS BRIEFS

Allotments needed

A CALL has been made for more allotments in Milton Keynes. Britain has almost doubled the amount of fruit and vegetables grown in allotments and back gardens in the last four years, and the MK Labour Party wants the city to expand facilities.

"I hope that Milton Keynes Council will work with developers and parish councils to ensure that more good land can be turned to allotments and to help more people who do not have access to a garden," parliamentary spokesman Andrew Pakes said.

Check smoke alarms

BUCKS and MK Fire Service is asking everyone to make a New Year's resolution to check your smoke alarms.

Push the button every week, make sure the alarm is up to date, check there is an alarm on every level of your home, check those of less able loved ones, and fit alarms on landing and hallway ceilings is the advice.

Man punched after parking space row

A MAN was punched in an argument over a car parking space on Friday.

At about 1.45pm two men started arguing over the space in the front car park of Tesco on Bletcham Way, Bletchley.

The offender then got out of his vehicle, a silver VW Beetle, opened the victim's driver's door and punched the other man once in the face.

The victim, a 28-year-old man, sustained a swollen and cut lip in the assault.

The offender is white in his late 20s and about 5ft 9ins, medium build, with black receding hair. He was wearing a black T-shirt and blue jeans. If you can help call 101.

Fork and club used to rob garage

A MEMBER of staff at a petrol station was threatened with a garden fork and a golf club in a robbery on New Year's Eve.

Shortly before 1.30am two men entered the BP Express petrol station on Aylesbury Street, Fenny Stratford, and demanded cash and cigarettes.

They threatened the employee with the weapons, before filling a bin with cigarettes and stealing money. They left in a car parked outside.

Thames Valley Police is now appealing for witnesses.

Anyone with information can contact DC Edward Vince on 101, or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

English Heritage 'no' to bridge plan

BY DAN PALMER
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THE row over plans to demolish Secklow Gate bridge to build a Primark store has taken a new twist after English Heritage announced that they were against the idea.

Shopping centre thecentre:mk hopes to expand by removing part of the bridge to make way for a 90,000-square-feet, three-storey extension. Opponents claim Secklow Gate is a much needed asset which is vital for keeping the city's grid road system intact.

Now English Heritage, which advises on historical matters, has said the proposals would 'substantially harm the significance of the building and the public benefits associated with the proposals are less than substantial'.

Richard Peats, Inspector of Historic Buildings and Areas, said: "We believe the proposals are tailored to the needs of a specific retailer and do not meet the long-term needs for retail expansion in Milton Keynes."

Mr Peats highlighted the need to maintain the grid road system and pointed out the architectural significance of the shopping centre building.

An official decision on the plans is expected in February, after an initial meeting date of January 22 was postponed.

Pressure group Xplain has campaigned against the extension and its leader Linda Inoki said: "English Heritage has made a clear, well-argued case for refusal. By refusing permission for the scheme MK Council would actually be protecting Milton Keynes' history."

A spokesman for thecentre:mk said that they were 'surprised' at English Heritage's findings.

"We are confident that robust protection of the iconic nature of the building has been preserved in the design of the Primark," the spokesman said.

Little givers: Elsie and Alfred had their friends make donations rather than give gifts for their birthdays

Children forfeit gifts for charity

A BROTHER and sister decided to forego their usual birthday parties and presents and instead have a charity fundraising event.

Seven-year-old Elsie Parlor and her little brother Alfred, five, decided to have a disco on December 15 in Newport Pagnell to help vulnerable children.

Rather than bringing birthday presents, each guest put a donation towards St Francis' Children's Society in a bucket and raised £260 to help find adoptive parents for children in care.

Mum Debbie said: "I'm really proud of them. Children become accustomed to presents at such an early age so I'm delighted they're learning about giving."

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Six stuck on Xmas Day

SIX people spent the early hours of Christmas morning stuck in a lift. The three men and three women had to be rescued by firefighters after becoming trapped in the elevator at Manhattan House, Witan Gate East, CMK, at 3.21am.

New Year's Eve crash

SEVEN people were injured in a three-car crash on New Year's Eve. The V7 Saxon Street was closed in both directions for several hours on Monday after the accident outside stadiummk, between Denbigh and Ashland roundabouts, shortly after 11am. No-one was seriously injured in the incident but three people had to be taken to Milton Keynes Hospital.

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Man seriously injured after crash

A MAN was left in critical condition after a crash on Friday, December 21.

At about 1.45pm a silver Ford Transit was in collision with a silver Vauxhall Astra at the junction of Capel Drive and the H4 Dansteed Way in Downs Barn.

The Astra was travelling along the H4 and the van was emerging from Downs Barn at the time of the collision.

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Politicians shouldn't try to fool the public

SIR – In answer to Stuart Moore chairman UKIP MK Branch (MK LETTERS, December 26).

He talks of "honesty" and then rants on about the mess Labour left us in. Obviously he has not kept in touch with the news events of 2012. It is now a known fact that Labour left an economy that was recovering only to be destroyed by the Tories and their unnecessary austerity cuts which also have been slammed by major economists worldwide.

The stories these politicians tell to blacken the opposition just make UKIP as bad as the Lib Dems. They will say anything to get in the door of 10 Downing Street.

The UK national debt in the last year of the Tory Government in 1997 was 42 per cent. In Labour's Government up to 2008, before the global banking crisis, it was 36 per cent. And then in 2010 the UK national debt as a proportion of Gross Domestic Product was 52 per cent. This was the second lowest of the G7 countries.

The Tory coalition took over a country that was recovering and because of their idealistic attitude to all things state, destroyed our recovery with harsh austerity, VAT rises and mass redundancy in the public sector which only affects the working class and the poor. If Stuart was interested in honesty he would have mentioned this. Even members of the Tory party have come out and admitted it was a smoke screen to justify destroying all things state.

So before politicians speak out and promise things there should be a law to bring to book those that try to fool the public.

You only have to look at the amount of U-turns David Cameron has made and the statements that the NHS is safe in his hands. That was the election pledge.

People only have to look at their history to see which Government did the most for the working class. Truth is a stranger to most politicians.

David Sawyers
Bradville

Stay safe from carbon monoxide poisoning

SIR – We're pleased that Coronation Street's latest storyline has alerted people to the dangers of carbon monoxide poisoning.

Unfortunately, carbon monoxide poisoning is more than just a soap storyline. According to the Department of Health, more than 50 people die from carbon monoxide poisoning in the UK every year and thousands more are treated in hospital.

It is likely many more victims go unrecognised because the symptoms can easily be mistaken for common illnesses such as flu or food poisoning. Despite these dangers, a study by Liverpool John Moores University found that fewer than one in ten homes has a carbon monoxide alarm.

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For more information visit www.co-bealarmed.co.uk.

Karen Roe, Campaign Manager
Carbon Monoxide – Be Alarmed!

Thanks for all your support – the NSPCC

SIR – On behalf of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children in Milton Keynes I would like to thank your readers for their support. The NSPCC relies heavily local people in order to provide our services and we really appreciate the efforts people make to support us.

Sally Phipps
NSPCC

More views on the new Primark

You can find more comments on www.mk-news.co.uk

I don't mind if they build Primark or not, and I don't even massively mind about the road (cars can go round easily enough, and there's not a lot of congestion in CMK).

The problem I have is pedestrian access through the centre at night. It is my view, already put to the council, that a condition of this development should be access provided through the shopping building for pedestrians and cycles (dismounted if necessary) 24 hours a day, 365/6 days a year, roughly at the location of the bridge, with all security arrangements paid for by the centre.

I urge others to object with this as mitigation.

Neil Williams

Why can't they use the old Sainsbury's building rather than knocking down bridges and building new shops when we have vacant ones open? Is there not plenty of room there?

Kelli Arnold

We are not in favour of Primark coming there and will not shop there if it goes ahead. It can look forward to many demos against it.

Grace Quinn

New Year Message

From the Mayor of MK, Catriona Morris

2012 has been an amazing year as Mayor

REFLECTING on 2012 as Mayor of Milton Keynes, it has been an incredible time. As a councillor I thought I was aware of most things that go on in this great place. But since becoming Mayor I've continued to be amazed and humbled at the wonderful things so many residents are involved in.

I have been to some incredible charities, with hard working volunteers, and to lots of schools with incredibly dedicated and caring staff and great kids. I've opened new businesses and celebrated successes and milestones with many existing local employers. I've cut numerous ribbons and unveiled a variety of unexpected things, including opening a wind turbine

and a lift!

As much as my predecessors warned me that life as the Mayor of Milton Keynes would be busy, I'm not sure I really believed them; but as 2013 begins I will have attended nearly 340 events.

One particularly key activity is the Mayor's Charity. Choosing MK Dons Sports Educational Trust as my Mayor's Charity was important to me, especially as 2012 was an Olympic year. It's a sports charity that supports so many residents in a variety of ways (not just football) and changes so many lives. I am keen that my Mayoral year will leave a strong legacy behind for the charity, and to do this I've launched the Friends of the Trust scheme. We've been getting local businesses to support the charity year-on-year. Having raised more than £30,000 so far is a fantastic surprise!

I'm a keen sports fan, and therefore have loved being the host for the Mayor of each place the MK Dons have played at a home game. I also loved going to a MK Lightning hockey match – time hasn't allowed me to return yet, but I will.

The next five months are full of exciting events, and May (the end of my Mayoral year) doesn't seem very far away – and yet there is still an awful lot to be done.

It is an honour and a privilege to be the first citizen of Milton Keynes. We have so much to be proud of in this incredible, diverse, strong place that is our home.

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Sales fever: Shoppers at MK1

Hundreds queue for sales at 1am

Bargain hunt: Customers flood into thecentre:mk as the New Year sales open for business in Milton Keynes

BY DAN PALMER
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MORE than 2,000 people queued outside the Next store in thecentre:mk at 1.15am on Boxing Day as sales fever gripped the city.

The keen shoppers had no problem with the early start, or with spending the night on the streets, as they eyed a post Christmas bargain.

In total, more than 26,000 customers piled into the city shopping centre within the first five hours of Boxing Day, as numerous stores launched their sales.

Similarly strong numbers were seen at Midsummer Place and at MK1, the new retail park which has been built at stadiummk.

Next, which completed its refurbishment and extension earlier this year, has reported increased sales of 30 per cent at thecentre:mk.

At House of Fraser sales were up nine per cent on last year and it is predicted that slashed prices will continue to tempt more shoppers in the early part of January.

Robert Hall, director of thecentre:mk, said: "This is a crucial time for retailers and the phenomenal success we have seen over the Christmas and sale launch period is evidence of the strong local and regional pull of thecentre:mk.

"The sales are now in full swing and we are confident that with some huge reductions in stores including House of Fraser, John Lewis, Boots, Next, BHS and Marks and Spencer, we will continue to attract more crowds as we move into 2013."

Record footfall numbers were also recorded in the week leading up to Christmas.

John Lewis reported 15 per cent sales increases on last year and the Marks and Spencer Food Hall announced an increase of 60 per cent.

Acts needed to Rock the House

MUSICIANS and small venues across Milton Keynes are being encouraged to enter the Rock the House 2013 competition.

Mark Lancaster MP wants acts to get in touch to enter Parliament's biggest competition, which celebrates up-and-coming British artists and the live music venues that support them.

Applications opened on November 30 and will close on March 1.

The competition is open to all music lovers who fall into the following categories: solo artist, band, under 19 solo artist, under 19 band, and best small live music venue.

Mark Lancaster said: "Rock the House is a great opportunity for aspiring artists of any age looking to find a way into the industry. I am excited to listen to the tracks that the people of Milton Keynes can come up with, and hope to receive as many submissions as possible."

Mr Lancaster will nominate his favourite from each category, after which a judging panel made of international music industry experts will pick the finalists. They will compete in a live battle of the bands, and the winner of each category will then perform live on the balcony of the House of Commons on the evening of June 26.

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New glass attack spurs campaign

BY DAN PALMER
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CITY campaigners who want to see glass banned from late night pubs and clubs have been left shocked by another bottle attack in Milton Keynes.

A teenager suffered deep cuts to his head, neck injuries and bruising after a bottle was smashed over his head at the Wonderworld club at Xscape at about 1am on December 23.

This is the type of attack that the POP Campaign – which was launched after Blake Golding was left fighting for his life and permanently scarred in 2004 – wants to stop.

The bottle attack on doorman Blake came on Christmas Eve, meaning it was almost eight years to the day before the latest incident.

Blake, along with parents Robert and Marjorie, have already presented a petition containing 2,500 of 116,000 signatures they have collected on the issue to Downing Street.

As well as calling for a glass ban in all city centre venues which sell alcohol after 11pm, the campaign has also requested a parliamentary debate on the issue.

Campaign: Organisers of POP are renewing their efforts to get glass banned at late night bars and clubs following the latest bottle attack

Marjorie told MK NEWS that they hope to 'wipe out' these types of attacks.

"Blake was attacked on Christmas Eve and it is an awful time for it to happen," she said.

"It puts a grey blanket over this time of year for years to come."

The campaign has recently created a second e-petition on the matter.

If it collects 100,000 signatures by a deadline of December 21 of next year MPs could consider holding a debate in the House of Commons.

"The job isn't done until there is a change in the law," Marjorie said. "If we need to we will go back fighting with another petition." The e-petition can be found at http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk/petitions/43147.

The suspect for the Wonderworld attack is white and about 5ft 8ins, in his early 20s with short blonde hair. He was wearing blue jeans.

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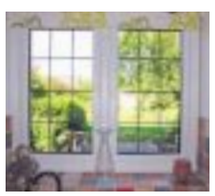

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Passengers face more rail misery

BY ADAM GRINSELL
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COMMUTERS face disruption into the new year as rail works continue on one of the city's main lines after a problem with the supply of new parts.

Over Christmas a bus replacement service has been used to ship travellers between Bletchley and Bedford as upgrades were carried out to signalling systems on the east-to-west line.

The work had been scheduled to be completed by this coming Monday, with the train service resuming in time for the return of the school run.

But now that bus service will have to be extended for another week into 2013 due to a delay in the delivery of parts.

Some 'critical components' were being manufactured in and supplied from America, but a delay to this process meant the works had to be postponed.

According to a letter sent to MPs in the areas concerned, including MP for Milton Keynes South Iain Stewart, normal operations should now resume on Monday, January 14.

A Network Rail spokesman said: "Our work at Bletchley over the festive period will provide a better, more reliable railway for passengers in the local area.

Expect delays: The Bletchley to Bedford line is set to be hit by longer than expected disruption after a problem with the supply of new parts

"Unfortunately, a delay in the manufacture and supply of critical components from the United States means we have had to extend a replacement bus service on the Bedford to Bletchley line for a further week.

"We would like to apologise for any inconvenience this causes to passengers in the new year."

Services on the West Coast Main Line through Milton Keynes and Bletchley will not be affected.

• London Midland season ticket holders are to be given five days worth of free travel passes under a £7million package of benefits announced by the Government.

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Appeal to victims of sickness bug

BY DAN PALMER
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THE city has been told to be on its guard against an outbreak of the highly infectious norovirus this winter.

Health bosses say it is vital that anyone suffering from the vomiting bug does not dial 999 – unless it is a life threatening emergency – or visit hospitals or their local GP.

This is because of the risk of spreading the infection to patients and NHS staff.

However, if symptoms persist for more than three or four days, or those affected already have a serious illness, then it is advised that medical attention is sought.

Phil Convery, infection control leader for the South Central Ambulance Service, said: "Almost 900,000 people in England have been infected with norovirus this winter – almost twice as many as were infected by mid-December last year.

"This winter is the worst start to the norovirus season on record with more than 5,000 NHS workers reportedly calling in sick every day with the bug.

"Winter is traditionally the busiest time for your ambulance service and as such, we are urging patients with flu or norovirus not to call 999 so that valuable resources remain available to respond to genuinely life-threatening medical emergencies."

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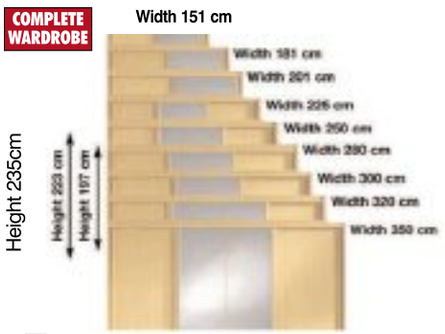

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Suspended prison term for shop boss

BY DAN PALMER
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A FAST food shop owner has been handed a suspended jail sentence after an employee was badly burned by oil due to a faulty cooker.

Saidqur Rahman, 36, was jailed for six months, suspended for two years, after admitting health and safety breaches at the Roosters takeaway in Stony Stratford.

On June 6, 2009, an old and poorly maintained deep fat fryer that had been bought with the business failed and sprayed boiling oil, which was hotter than 200 degrees, onto worker Suyleman Hashim.

Mr Hashim drove to his family home in immense pain where an ambulance transferred him to the specialist burns unit at Stoke Mandeville Hospital.

Medical staff then attempted to graft skin back onto the severely burnt side of his body.

Rahman failed to report the incident to the authorities and later attempted to dissolve his company, but Milton Keynes Council's Environmental Health Team were informed by Mr Hashim's wife.

Justice: Takeaway owner Saidqur Rahman was given a six month jail sentence, suspended for two years, for health and safety breaches

They found and seized the faulty fryer which had been moved to the rear yard of the premises and concealed under a tarpaulin.

Aylesbury Crown Court heard that the faulty equipment had never been checked, maintained or cleaned by Rahman, and no risk assessment or employee training had been carried out.

In summing up the case, Judge S Davis stated that the level of culpability was high and there was a grave level of negligence. Although taking into account the previous good character of Rahman, there was found to be a complete and utter dereliction of his duty in respect of safety.

Rahman must also carry out 150 hours of unpaid work and he is disqualified from acting as a director of a business for five years.

Milton Keynes Council asked for £11,682.19 costs but the court was told that Rahman has no money. He was ordered to pay £2,500.

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Stephen, who has named the initiative "New Years Project Cyrus", said: "with New Years Project Cyrus we would like to work with a group of 10 great enthusiastic people in Milton Keynes with more than a stone to lose."

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The DoubleVision team are looking for 10 people who want to be part of "New Years Project Cyrus". Participants must be enthusiastic, have more than a stone to lose, be friendly and willing to learn everything there is to know about fitness and nutrition.

Stephen added: "I'm putting myself on the line to show you how to unveil the body you want this year. It's not for everyone."

"I've been obsessed with this idea for months because it relates so well to the New Year and our business. I'm really looking forward to this project, and I'm totally committed to making it a huge success."

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REVIEW OF THE YEAR

It's glory for Greg and

BY DAN PALMER
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WELCOME to the second part of our review of 2012. Here are the memorable moments from July, August and September:

JULY

Milton Keynes Council is threatened with legal action over plans to change its policy on how close wind turbines can be built to houses.

Chairman Pete Winkelman plans to use MK Bowl as the Dons' new training ground and says a cinema, bars and restaurants will be built at stadiummk.

Careless motorists cause heartbreak by driving over graves at a cemetery in Bletchley as they arrived for football matches.

Crowds pack out Central Milton Keynes and Bletchley for the Olympic torch relay, and the Swedish House Mafia play to tens of thousands at the Bowl.

Woughton Community Council, described as the 'poorest parish in England' faces more cuts to services. And arrests are made after a dog is thrown from a bridge and onto a grid road. It survives but is later put down.

Golden boy: Greg Rutherford

AUGUST

It is announced that MK Lions will leave Milton Keynes after MK NEWS earlier revealed that the basketball club had been evicted from Winterhill.

The U13 girls' football team at United MK make history by becoming the first to enter an entirely boys' league.

Greg Rutherford wins Olympic gold for Great Britain and Milton Keynes with a leap of 8.31m in the long jump at London 2012.

Rail passengers in the city are not chuffed as ticket prices continue to soar.

A mother pleads with Prime Minister David Cameron to help keep her seven-year-old daughter, who suffers from a rare, untreatable condition, alive.

The family of 19-year-old Rehan Shafiq, who is tragically killed in a car crash in Bletchley, pay tribute to him. Football fans march in memory of 25-year-old Chelsea supporter Kyle Broadbent, who died after falling through a roof.

SEPTEMBER

MK North MP Mark Lancaster becomes a junior minister at the Ministry of Defence and Lord Commissioner for Her Majesty's Treasury in a cabinet reshuffle.

Plans to give Greg Rutherford an open top bus parade through Woburn Sands are exclusively revealed by MK NEWS.

A motorcycle instructor dies in a collision near Monkston.

Network Rail officially opens its new £108million HQ in Central Milton Keynes, which is known as Quadrant:MK.

Supermarket Waitrose announces that it will be moving from CMK to the new development in Oakgrove.

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Holding the torch: Gail Emms

Party time: Swedish House Mafia play to thousands at the National Bowl

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REVIEW OF THE YEAR

Flooding, Bond and a

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OUR review of 2012 reaches its conclusion with a look back at events in the city during the last three months of the year.

OCTOBER

A mother faces fresh heartache after the theft of a wreath placed on the grave of her son David Law, who was murdered in Walnut Tree.

Milton Keynes physio Simon Jones is part of the Europe golf team that dramatically brings the Ryder Cup home from the United States after the Miracle of Medinah.

Brave Joseph Piggott, eight, is diagnosed with cancer just a month after designing a toy to help raise money for the disease. He flies to the US for treatment.

Council bosses consider a plan to create 18,000 jobs by developing a new business park near Newport Pagnell.

Stadiummk makes the stadium shortlist for the Rugby World Cup in England in 2015.

A former army medic saves the life of a clubber who accidentally hangs himself in a Halloween prop noose at the Pink Punters nightclub.

Unseen photos of a James Bond Aston Martin DB5, built in Newport Pagnell, are revealed.

Closed: Flooding hits the city

NOVEMBER

A husband and wife take part in a 2,000-mile expedition across Europe to raise money for Help for Heroes.

Three mothers whose children died at MK Hospital call for change to prevent future deaths.

People across the city mark Remembrance Sunday.

Mourners pack the Church of Christ the Cornerstone for the funeral of arts patron Edna Read.

Red Bull Racing's Sebastian Vettel thanks staff at the F1 team's Tilbrook HQ as they again clinch the constructors' title.

Battle lines are drawn over whether a Primark should be built in CMK, at the expense of Secklow Gate bridge.

Heavy rainfall causes large parts of the city to become submerged in water.

DECEMBER

MK Dons beat AFC Wimbledon 2-1 in the FA Cup, in the historic first meeting between the two clubs.

TV show Cowboy Builders restores the Stantonbury home of a disabled woman after it was left in chaos by unfinished building work exposed by MK NEWS.

Police continue their drugs crackdown in the city by launching a number of early morning raids as part of Operation Rouse.

The parents of an MK man who was attacked with a bottle head to Downing Street with a petition which calls for a ban on glass in late night clubs and bars.

Princess Anne pays a visit to the city and pops in on Marshall Amplification in Bletchley.

A rethink is called for over a proposed increase in city centre parking charges.

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Lest we forget: People across Milton Keynes turned out to pay their respects on Remembrance Sunday

Crackdown: Operation Rouse

Nice wheels: James Bond's Aston Martin looks stylish in Newport Pagnell

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REVIEW OF THE YEAR

Play-off agony ends

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IT'S been another roller coaster year following Milton Keynes Dons, although a lot of it already seems like it happened an age ago. MK NEWS looks at the year that was 2012 for our club.

JANUARY

Karl Robinson promises transfer 'shocks' in the window.

A late Heidar Helguson goal denies Dons a deserving FA Cup victory over Premier League QPR. After a 1-1 draw they lose the return tie 1-0 with Chelsea awaiting in the fourth round.

The club is 'embarrassed' after the home game with Carlisle is postponed due to a frozen pitch.

Shock Dons signing: Alan Smith

FEBRUARY

The incredible loan signing of former Manchester United man Alan Smith is announced.

Stephen Gleeson earns a valuable 1-1 draw at Huddersfield, but Gary MacKenzie is sent off for an off the ball clash in a 2-1 defeat at leaders Charlton. Robinson later makes the Scot publicly apologise at the press conference.

MARCH

George Williams, 16, becomes the youngest player to wear the Dons shirt in the league when he appears at Hartlepool.

Robinson targets the play-off final after admitting automatic promotion looks out of reach.

APRIL

The 3-0 win over Tranmere brings up a century of goals for the 2011/12 season.

Dons seal a play-off spot as Alan Smith's goal sees off Sheffield United. He celebrates in front of more than 6,000 travelling Blades fans.

MAY

John Gorman receives a guard of honour before the final game of the season against Walsall, after announcing his retirement from football, but a 1-0 defeat means Dons slip to fifth and will play the second leg of their play-off against Huddersfield away.

In the end there is more play-off heartache as Dons tumble out 3-2 on aggregate, despite winning 2-1 in Yorkshire.

Mick Harford and Ian Wright are appointed as new assistant manager and first team coach.

JUNE

Alan Smith continues to ponder a permanent switch to the club during the summer break.

The new fixtures are released and Dons face Oldham first.

JULY

MK NEWS reveals that stadiummk could have hosted football matches at London 2012.

Jon Otsemobor joins the club, as does Alan Smith who makes his loan move permanent.

Deon Burton, Juanfri and Derek Riordan join the club's tour of Ireland.

Turn the page to p21 for our review of the 2012/13 season so far for Dons.

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the season for Dons

Play-off heartbreak again: Stephen Gleeson can't hide his disappointment after defeat to Huddersfield

Jimmy arrives: Bullard signs

The new era: Karl Robinson welcomes Ian Wright and Mick Harford in May

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MK DONS – AUG-DEC 2012

A new season brings a famous cup victory

BY DAN PALMER
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WE complete our MK Dons review with Aug-Dec 2012.

Famous handshake: Dean Lewington greets AFC's Steven Gregory

AUGUST

Ryan Lowe and Antony Kay sign up, and Dons open their season with a penalties win at Cheltenham in the League Cup.

Dons have four players sent off in their opening four games, prompting Pete Winkelman to air his frustrations to the media.

Blackburn are beaten 2-1 in the League Cup second round and Jimmy Bullard arrives on a free transfer.

SEPTEMBER

Northampton knock Dons out of the Johnstone's Paint Trophy with a 1-0 win.

Robinson says he might tell players to adopt 'underhand' tactics after defeat at Walsall.

A first away win is claimed at Bury – Dean Bowditch getting a hat-trick in a 4-1 victory.

OCTOBER

Jimmy Bullard announces his retirement due to a knee injury.

Robinson aims to bring in a new striker as missed chances plague his side, but the manager backs his players.

There's just one win during the month, 3-0 against Scunthorpe. Angelo Balanta rejoins on loan.

NOVEMBER

Ibra Sekajja from Crystal Palace, Wolves starlet Zeli Ismail and Chelsea's Patrick Bamford sign on loan.

Dons win four of their five league games, the only blot a 2-2 draw at Shrewsbury.

Cambridge City are beaten 6-1 in a first round FA Cup replay to set up a tie with AFC Wimbledon.

DECEMBER

AFC Wimbledon are beaten 2-1 in the much-hyped first meeting between the two clubs.

Dons prepare to fight off bids for top players during the January window, and Robinson threatens to wield the axe on under performers after defeat to Walsall.

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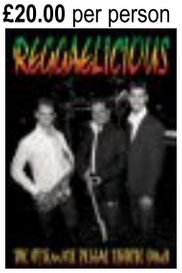

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ARIES

21 MARCH - 20 APRIL

LIFE: A lucky break in the first week of 2013 gets you off to a great start and financial decisions in the spring will have lasting importance. Plans go well in the first half of the year and you can look forward to an enjoyable summer with your family.

TROUBLE: A career change may be forced on you and aspects to Mars indicate you'll need lots of patience to deal with some recurring problems. Be sure to keep a close eye on any shared finances.

TAURUS

21 APRIL - 21 MAY

LIFE: Earnings are likely to shoot up early in the new year. Certain chickens may also come home to roost in a relationship or your personal life. But a friendship will blossom – and some schemes you come up with will be a big success.

TROUBLE: Aspects to Venus suggest you'll be unsure how to act in early 2013 and you won't always get your own way over the spring. In particular pay close attention to important relationships.

GEMINI

22 MAY - 21 JUNE

LIFE: Despite an indecisive start to 2013, this could be a brilliant year for your career. You'll find yourself turning a dull or tedious job into something special, and you'll also have a chance to broaden your horizons and clear up a mystery.

TROUBLE: Don't pursue ambitions in March, avoid financial deals and discussions in July and don't let a friend or colleague bully you into doing what they want. Above all, stay focused on your daily schedule.

CANCER

22 JUNE - 22 JULY

LIFE: Eclipses in the spring are an indication of love affairs and friendship, while other planetary aspects suggest a romance could be on the cards in the summer. July and much of the rest of 2013 will be very lucky for you too.

TROUBLE: Certain people will try to force their views on you. There could be tension with a boss, and you should watch your weight – but being aware of your hidden talents is the key next year.

LEO

23 JULY - 22 AUGUST

LIFE: Friends brighten up the first half of 2013 and developments at home or in your career will benefit from urgent attention. In addition, you'll be invincible in June, and the summer holds a nice surprise.

TROUBLE: Be ready for problems as the Sun squares Pluto on 1 April, and get all the facts before agreeing to a financial commitment in late May. But the main thing to focus on is your family life.

VIRGO

23 AUG- 22 SEPTEMBER

LIFE: Perhaps you're already riding a wave of success. If not, it's the perfect year to aim high and give an ambition your best shot. Long term projects, close relationships and friendships will forge ahead as well.

TROUBLE: Mercury's influence indicates issues with someone close may cause stress between February and March – and in the summer. But people around you should be your main concern.

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LIBRA

23 SEPTEMBER – 22 OCTOBER

LIFE: A contact from abroad may affect your life during the first six months of 2013 and you should look out for fresh opportunities. On the work front, a new agreement in May will lead to something big.

TROUBLE: You won't always be certain where you stand in a personal matter and a colleague or relative's behaviour will need sorting in the spring. Also, make sure you stay on top of financial affairs.

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23 OCTOBER - 21 NOVEMBER

LIFE: Try not to be too sensitive about any personal affairs during April's lunar eclipse – especially as you'll have a lot of luck in the year ahead and a chance to turn over a new leaf in a close relationship.

TROUBLE: A predicament at work may demand a total rethink in late May, while aspects to Pluto mean a refusal could set you back in June. In particular, keep a close eye on your personal life.

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SAGITTARIUS

22 NOVEMBER - 20 DECEMBER

LIFE: A revelation in April or May will affect your plans, a new job is on the cards and events at home will solve a long term difficulty. A new or improved relationship will also cheer you up no end.

TROUBLE: Jupiter's influence suggests some complications for a friendship in February or March and a loved one will be obstinate in the spring.
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CAPRICORN

21 DECEMBER - 19 JANUARY

LIFE: It looks as though you'll have your pick of plum jobs and romance could blossom in the spring – while aspects to Saturn indicate that your determination to achieve a hope or wish will produce great results.

TROUBLE: Saturn suggests you'll be banging your head against a brick wall at times next year and a set up at home will need to change. Your friends and social life are key areas to focus on.

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20 JANUARY - 19 FEBRUARY

LIFE: 2013 will be excellent for romance and expressing your creative side but, most of all, it's the year to put as much energy as you can into furthering your career. Expect fantastic news at home too.

TROUBLE: Last minute obstacles crop up in early January, money will need careful handling come March and you'll have hiccups with schemes throughout the year Keep aims and aspirations clearly defined.

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PISCES

20 FEBRUARY - 20 MARCH

LIFE: You need to be particularly patient around May's solar eclipse. You'll also feel an urge to do up or extend your home. Don't miss an opportunity to take your life off in an entirely new direction too.

TROUBLE: Putting your foot in it is no laughing matter in late February/early March, and it's best to avoid any big financial commitments. Travel or foreign connections will come into play next year too.

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£22k grant to spruce up paths in Bletchley

BY DAN PALMER
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A GRANT of more than £20,000 will be used to upgrade a popular open space in West Bletchley, giving local residents a boost.

Milton Keynes councillors agreed at a Cabinet meeting to spend £22,000 sprucing up The Leys, a large open area situated between Westminster Drive and Whalley Drive.

The cash will be used primarily to upgrade the pathways surrounding the space, which have fallen into a state of disrepair, due to bad weather.

West Bletchley Labour Councillor Nigel Long welcomed the grant.

"There has been a long standing problem with the footpaths that border the Leys," he said.

"They flood in bad weather and are in desperate need of upgrading in some places.

"I was delighted to explain to cabinet how important this funding allocation was.

"I thanked them for responding to the needs of West Bletchley."

A new redway and cycle path was constructed on the Leys two years ago.

The idea is that this improvement, along with the new pathways paid for using the £22,000, will significantly improve access for the public.

Upgrade: The Leys at Bletchley which has been awarded a grant of £22,000 for improvements which will be used mainly on footpaths

Fellow Labour Councillor Mick Legg was also pleased that the grant had been given the green light.

"We have worked with local residents to improve access across and pathways around the Leys," he added.

"It remains a valuable open space that provides play areas and a great space to walk dogs or hold picnics. It is a great local asset."

Dave Moore, a resident on Whalley Drive, told MK NEWS that the area was in need of being improved.

He said: "I often walk my dogs there and to be honest it is not the most pleasant of places.

"If this money makes it nicer for the local people then I'm all for it being spent.

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THE Comedy Cow events often seem to sell out so you should move fast if you want to catch their latest offering of funny business in the city.

Five comics will be taking to the stage at The Crown in Stony Stratford on January 10, so it could be the ideal way to shake off any post Christmas blues.

Topping the bill is Daniel Simonson, pictured, who was named best newcomer at the 2012 Edinburgh Comedy Awards.

Previously he won the So You Think You're Funny? new act competition in 2008, and he was also a finalist in the Laughing Horse new act competition the same year.

Joining him is Eddie Twist, a former Cornish farm boy who is known as being 'the only Goth in the village'.

The opening act is Harriet Dyer, a comic who says she believes that she is in a recently modified version of the film The Truman Show.

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Starting today with the Women's Walking Network at 10am at Willen Lake North, the events continue on Sunday with Parks and Run.

Fun runs for all ages and abilities across distances of two to ten kilometres, Parks and Run is a good chance for you to shake off those extra Christmas calories.

Meet at Bradwell Abbey Car Park, Alston Drive, at 10am. Free.

Saturday, January 12 sees the Bark in the Park, meeting at the ArtworksMK car park in Parklands, Great Linford at 10am, and then on Saturday, January 26 Discover Hedgerow Basket Weaving at Campbell Park Pavilion, 10am-3pm over three days. £75 for the full course, booking essential on 01908 255379.

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MK life HOT PICKS

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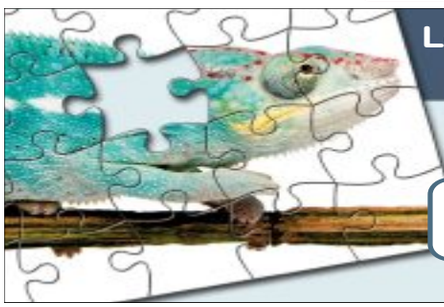

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Happy 18th Birthday 1st January
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CARLIE RANDALL
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1st Jan 2013
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In Memoriam

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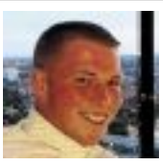

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2nd March 1991 - 3rd January 2010
Every day when I first wake, I think that you're still here, And for a fleeting moment, the clouds all disappear.
Love Always
Mum & Ash xxx

IMMACOLATA DI-TOMMASO
Nee CUCCURULLO 'Tina'
30th December 2011
Not a day goes by without you
In our thoughts and in our hearts
You'll forever be
All our love,
Your devoted dad, Benito,
and loving children,
Vincenzo, Maria and Clara xxxx

TONY D'ARCY
4 Jan 2000
Forever in our hearts and thoughts.
Love Julie, Ged, Sean, Sharon x

RADFORD Ivor 19-11-1930 - 05-01-2012. The world is full of Xmas cheer, But we're so sad that you're not here, you left a hole that none can fill, we love you now and always will. Loved and missed so very much. Isobel (Jo) Jacqueline and Ian

RYAN - Robert Gerald Peacefully on 16th December 2012 aged 82 years. Sadly missed by all his family and friends. Funeral Service to be held at Crownhill Crematorium Milton Keynes on Wednesday 9th January at 12.15pm. All enquiries to Arnolds Funeral Service 48 Roff Avenue Bedford MK41 7TE Tel No. 01234 359529.

WALKER Daphne Peacefully on 20th December 2012 after a short stay in hospital, aged 88 years. Funeral Service takes place at 10.00am on Friday 4th January 2012 at Bedford Crematorium. Flowers are welcome and may be sent c/o Arnolds Funeral service, 48 Roff Avenue, Bedford. MK41 7TE Tel 01234 359529

In memory of
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Died 31/12/11
Dad, thinking of you today.
Everyday in some small way
Memories of you come our way.
Though absent, you are always near
Still missed, much loved and always dear,
Love Rosaline & Janice and Andrew & Ray

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Loving memories of my twin Janet
3 years have gone so fast but memories of you will always be in my heart.
Miss you more than words can ever say
God bless
Your twin Kath
R.I.P

PURDY Derek, Gladys, Richard, Diane, Lesley, Deborah and Paul. Always in our thoughts. Love all the family.

WOOLSTON Mavis 31.12.91 Memories last forever. Tony, John, Paul, Families.

Engagements

Nick Foster & Amy Hotchkiss
Congratulations on your Engagement on Christmas Day.
Love from both Families
X

Funeral Notices

MERVYN DAVID WRIGHT
of Haversham died suddenly but peacefully in his sleep on 13 December 2012, on board ship in the Gulf of Mexico, aged 63. Much loved husband of Gill and dear dad to Mark and partner, Amy.
Merv will be sadly missed by brothers, sisters and many relatives and friends.
Funeral service will be held at Crownhill Crematorium Willow Chapel on Monday, 14 January 2013 at 12.15pm.
Family flowers only please but donations, if desired, for the RNLI or The British Heart Foundation may be sent to c/o H.W. Masons & Sons, 9 High Street, Newport Pagnell MK16 8AR

PATRICK RYAN "Paddy"
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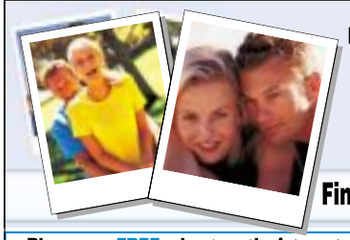

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single women

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SHARON 34 single mum with OHAC, likes nights in/out, cinema, GSOH with lots to offer genuine guy with good heart, looks/age not important. Single dads welcome. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 400125**

SHARON 22yr old pretty dark haired/eyed beautician very girlie and feminine looking for genuine friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 400091**

JULIE 44, likes cinema, nights out, WLTM male 45-50 for LTR. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 392536**

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single men

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STEVE 43, cropped hair, green eyes, cheeky smile, looking for older female, 55-65 for fun and friendship. Southampton area. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 393844**

MALE looking for female for fun and friendship/relationship. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 399595**

DAVE 53, seeks female, 45-56 for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 393236**

JAVED tall, slim, blue eyes, dark hair, seeks nice young lady for friendship, maybe more. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 397735**

ATTRACTIVE easy going male, 44, 5ft 7ins, slim-medium build, seeks slim-medium build female, 25-42 for LTR. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 397775**

RETIRED gent, romantic, OHAC, lots of TLC, seeks sexy, mature, tactile female for love and TLC. **Tel No: 0906 500 3674 Box No: 393409**

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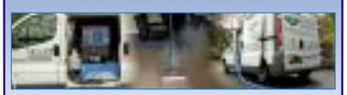

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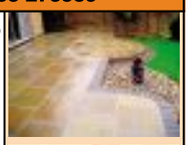
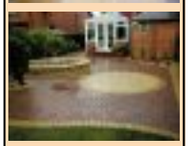
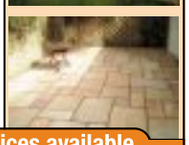

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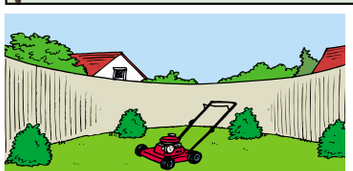

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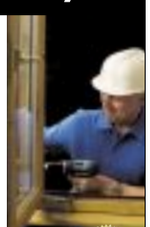

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   - southbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 540 metres south of Broughton Grounds Lane over-bridge to a point 180 metres north of Cranfield Road/Wavendon Road over-bridge,
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 620 metres south of Broughton Road over-bridge to a point 600 metres north of Broughton Grounds Lane over-bridge,
   - 480 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Little Linford and Haversham to a point 1,090 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope, and
   - 920 metres north of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Little Linford and Haversham to a point 390 metres north of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope;
2. close the –
   - southbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 30 metres north of Broughton Road over-bridge to a point 180 metres north of Cranfield Road/ Wavendon Road over-bridge,
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 230 metres north of Broughton Road over-bridge to a point 600 metres north of Broughton Grounds Lane over-bridge,
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 370 metres north of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Little Linford to a point 1,100 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope, and
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 1,300 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope to a point 390 metres north of that bridge; and
3. allow traffic to run on the hard shoulder adjacent to the –
   - southbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 620 metres south of Broughton Road over-bridge to a point 670 metres north of Cranfield Road/ Wavendon Road over-bridge,
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 440 metres south of Broughton Grounds Lane over-bridge to a point 110 metres north of that bridge,
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 1,070 metres north of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Little Linford and Haversham to a point 1,500 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope, and
   - northbound carriageway of the M1 from a point 650 metres south of the over-bridge that connects Gayhurst with Hanslope to a point 100 metres south of that bridge.

The temporary mandatory speed limit (which would not apply to emergency service or special forces vehicles), closures (which would not apply to works, emergency service, traffic officer or winter maintenance vehicles) and diversion routes would be clearly indicated by traffic signs throughout the works.

The Order would come into force on 18 January 2013 and have a maximum duration of eighteen months.

Mrs A V Middleton, An official of the Highways Agency

General enquiries relating to this notice may be made in writing to Graham Harris at the Highways Agency, Woodlands, Manton Lane, Bedford, MK41 7LW or by telephoning on 01234 796079.

Public Notices

Milton Keynes Council

The following applications may be inspected at the Planning, Economy and Development Department, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes. Representations, if any, to be submitted in writing to the above address within 21 days of the publication of this notice.

SECTION 73 WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA

12/02458/FUL Construction of single storey extension to rear (re-submission of 12/01427/FUL) at The Lodge, The Green, Woughton On The Green

12/02555/FUL Erection of a single storey dwelling and carport on land at the rear of 24 High Street, Olney

12/02584/FUL Alterations and additions to two storey out house to form annex (resubmission of 12/01866/FUL) at 81 Caldecote Street, Newport Pagnell

12/02592/FUL Part ground floor change of use from shop (use class A1) to residential (use class C3) and erection of single storey rear extension at 105 Jersey Road, Wolverton

SECTION 67 AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING

12/02447/FUL Erection of dwelling and detached garage with vehicular access from Milton Road at Walton Lodge Cottage, Milton Road, Walton Hall

DEPARTURE FROM LOCAL PLAN

12/01890/FUL Erection of mixed use development and associated parking and estates flat including a petrol filling station and shop, motoring memorabilia retail, retail units, offices, restaurant and bar facilities (resubmission of 07/00709/FUL) at Shell Newport Pagnell, Northampton Road, Newport Pagnell

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (AS AMENDED)
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT
(DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES) ORDER 2010
NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13
MAJOR

12/02607/FUL Erection of two storey B1(b) Research and Development building, with ancillary B2/B8, offices, utilities/refuse store, vehicle parking, servicing, landscaping, mounding and new vehicular accesses to Chalkdell Drive and Foxcovert Road and footpath/cycle links (private). Outline consent (design and appearance reserved) for a two storey visitor/training centre (1200m^2) and single storey creche (100m^2) for staff use, together with associated parking and landscaping. This application is Phase 1 at Site C, Chalkdell Drive, Shenley Wood

12/02609/FUL Variation of conditions attached to planning permission 11/02749/FUL; conditions 1 (Approved drawings), 2 (External materials), 7 (Structural Planting), 13 (Ground Surface Areas) and 23 (Boundary Fencing) to refer to revised drawings; conditions 11 (Ground Conditions) , 13, (Ground Surface Areas) 20, (Details of cycle parking) 23 (Boundary Treatment) and 24 (Sustainable Construction) to refer to Phase 2; condition 30 to refer to proposed amended car park number at Site C, Chalkdell Drive, Shenley Wood

NICK FENWICK
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR PLANNING, ECONOMY AND DEVELOPMENT

THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES
(A4146, WATLING STREET AND BRICKHILL STREET (PARTS) BOW BRICKHILL)
(TEMPORARY SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2013

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes intends, in not less than seven days from the date of this notice, to make an Order under Section 14(4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Its effect will be to temporarily restrict the speed limit to 50MPH on the following roads within the location of the A5 Roundabout, commonly known as Kellys Kitchen Roundabout near Bow Brickhill Milton Keynes:-

1. **A4146** – both carriageways from its junction with the A5 Roundabout for a distance of approximately 310 metres in a south-westerly direction.
2. **Watling Street** – both carriageways from its junction with the A5 Roundabout for a distance of approximately 390 metres in a north-westerly direction.
3. **Brickhill Street** – both carriageways from its junction with the A5 Roundabout for a distance of approximately 240 metres in a north-easterly direction.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary speed restriction is necessary to enable construction works to the existing junctions on the A5 Roundabout to be carried out in safety and to support the proposed off-peak lane closures which will be in place whilst the works are taking place. It is anticipated that the temporary speed restriction will come into effect on Thursday 10th January 2013 until 16th August 2013, inclusive.

There shall be no exemptions from the provisions of this Order except for emergency service vehicles and Special Forces drivers within the armed forces on operational duties.

The proposed Order will come into operation on Thursday 10th January 2013 and will continue in force for a maximum period of 18 months or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. If the works are not completed within the maximum period stated, a further Order may be made with the consent of the Secretary of State. The provisions of this Order shall apply when indicated by traffic signs.

Any person committing a breach of this Order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

Philip McCourt, Assistant Director – Law & Governance
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes
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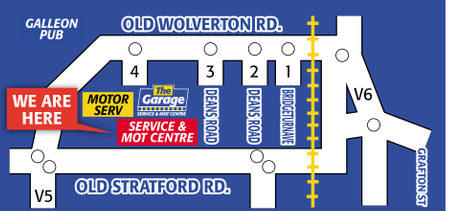

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FOOTBALL

Instant impact for Harley

NEW signing Ryan Harley made an almost instant impact as Dons started 2013 with a 2-1 New Year's Day win at Notts County.

The midfielder's loan switch from Championship outfit Brighton was only confirmed on the eve of the match but the former Exeter City man needed just six minutes to make his mark at Meadow Lane.

He is known as a dead-ball specialist and when given his first chance at a set piece, he delivered a beautiful floated cross which allowed Darren Potter to glance home the opener with the deftest of headers.

Harley continued to impress with his vision and passing range in a first half Dons dominated.

The visitors stroked the ball around superbly and doubled their lead thanks to Dan Powell's cool finish, before taking their 2-0 advantage into the break.

"It's a tough place to come," Harley said. "Not a lot of teams come here and get a win but that was really impressive."

Dons have moved back into the play-off spots with the victory, which followed back-to-back home defeats.

"I enjoy getting the ball down and playing like all the lads," Harley said.

"It was tough to play as much football as we'd have liked, but we still showed what we're all about."

Manager Karl Robinson was pleased with the contribution of the latest addition to his squad.

"He looks like he's been playing regularly for MK Dons," he said.

"He suits our kit. I've been telling him that for two and a half years and thankfully he's starting to listen.

"We felt that since Peter Leven left we have found it difficult to replace a specialist in dead balls, and Ryan definitely does that in abundance which is great for us."

BEAR HUG: Darren Potter is mobbed after scoring the opener Picture: Andy Handley

PRIVATE RYAN: Harley made his debut for the Dons on Tuesday

County pulled a goal back in the second half through Jamal Campbell-Ryce's penalty but Dons managed to keep them at bay for the rest of the game.

Lee Hughes struck the bar from six yards but that was as close as the Magpies got as the visitors soaked up waves of pressure.

Robinson said the win was up there with his best in management after his side bounced back from the reverses against Walsall and Coventry to salvage a result from the festive period.

"It's important that when you lose games it hurts you," he said. " It's the way you get over it and move on to pastures new.

"You don't get an easy victory over Notts County. Keith Curle's teams are well organised and are always going to be tough to beat, so to get something out of the game is a bonus for us.

"I think it was a very, very strong and gritty performance by the boys in the second half.

"This could have been a disastrous Christmas period.

"As it happens, we only got three points from the nine but we're going into the new year with tremendous confidence.

"We're not getting carried away but we're very pleased with this individual performance."

Dons lost Dean Bowditch and Angelo Balanta to injury during the game, and they can ill-afford to add any more names to a growing list of sidelined players.

Stephen Gleeson, Luke Chadwick, Jon Otsemobor, Patrick Bamford and Tom Flanagan are among those missing from a squad which is being stretched by a growing casualty list.

But Gary MacKenzie did make his first appearance since October with a late cameo from the bench.

The Scottish defender has recovered from hip surgery.

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ICE HOCKEY

Lightning see off leaders

HOT SHOT: Kamil Tvrdek scored a hat-trick against Bracknell

Picture: Jez Tibbetts

MK LIGHTNING enjoyed two home victories, including one over the league leaders, during a busy festive period but defeat at local rivals Peterborough Phantoms denied them a perfect Christmas.

Nick Poole's side returned to the ice in fine style on Thursday after an 11-day break without a game when they saw off Bracknell Bees 6-2 at Planet Ice.

They followed this up with a penalty-shots victory over table toppers Basingstoke Bison on Saturday, after the two teams had played out a 3-3 draw, but Peterborough stopped the run in its tracks with a 7-4 triumph 24 hours later.

Lightning are fourth in the English Premier League table, 11 points adrift of Basingstoke having played a game less. However, third placed Guildford Flames are five points ahead of the city skaters with a game in hand.

"We wanted six points but with the players missing we're still pleased with four," general manager Vito Rausa said.

"Three games in four days is not easy."

A hat-trick from Czech forward Kamil Tvrdek helped seal the convincing win over Bracknell.

Lightning roared out of the traps and were 5-0 up at the end of the second period thanks to Tvrdek's first two strikes, a double from skipper Adam Carr and a goal from Adam Brittle.

Tvrdek then completed his treble in the third, with Bracknell also grabbing two consolations.

It was that man Tvrdek who also played a crucial role in the win over Basingstoke, netting the vital penalty in the shoot out.

He had also scored in regulation time of the contest with the Hampshire club, along with Poole and Carr.

Against Peterborough, Carr, Michael Farn, Leigh Jamieson and Tvrdek were the Lightning scorers but MK were well beaten as tiredness perhaps took its toll.

Lightning return to action this weekend with home and away clashes against Manchester Phoenix. The home leg is on Saturday followed by the trip north on Sunday.

■ Go online for a picture gallery from the win over Basingstoke Bison.

SPORTSSHORTS

TABLE TENNIS

OLYMPIAN Andrew Baggaley will be taking part in Barry Hearn's latest sporting venture this weekend.

The city player will compete in the newly created World Championship of Ping Pong as Hearn - known for his involvement with darts and snooker - attempts to promote another sport.

In a throwback to the early days of table tennis, the tournament will see rubber bats replaced with hard sandpaper covered alternatives, a move Hearn believes will make the game more exciting and TV friendly.

Sky Sports will be screening the event, hosted at London's Alexandra Palace, and fans can expect the same razzmatazz seen at Hearn's PDC darts events.

A $100,000 prize pot has also been created to lure some of the world's top players.

"I believe that ping pong is a sensational sport that has a limitless potential to get bigger and bigger," Hearn said.

Baggaley, who competed for Great Britain in the team table tennis event, will first square off with Serbia's Attila Kozso.

There is a quick-fire double elimination format where two wins means advancement to the last 32 while two defeats means elimination from the tournament.

FLOORBALL

FOUR players from the MK Phantoms squad have been called up by Great Britain.

There are senior call-ups for Matt Spring, Nick Clapham and Lee Stobie while Lee Stobie, 15, has made the Under-19 squad.

BOXING

DECEMBER was another productive month for the MK Victors club.

For the latest blog about how their members have performed this week, log on to www.mk-news.co.uk/sport.

RUGBY UNION

MILTON Keynes return from the festive period on Saturday and face the toughest possible opponents - Southern Counties North league leaders Reading Abbey.

It is a massive game for City who are keen to secure promotion after narrowly missing out last term. The trip to Abbey, who have lost just once this season, will be a big test of their credentials.

Ray Bray's side are in excellent form after winning their last nine matches to lift them to third in the table, three points adrift of Abbey.

Their only two defeats came in the opening two games of the season, and one of those came against Abbey who triumphed 33-21 at Emerson Valley in week two.

Meanwhile, Olney will travel to Wallingford while Bletchley will visit Cheltenham in the South West 1 East.

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Hillsborough trip set to be emotional

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THE father of Dons manager Karl Robinson will this weekend make an emotional return to Hillsborough, the scene of the disaster which cost the lives of 96 Liverpool fans and one he saw unfold from the Leppings Lane end.

Robinson's dad, Kevin, was at the home of Sheffield Wednesday supporting Liverpool against Nottingham Forest on that fateful FA Cup semi-final day in April 1989.

He was one of the lucky fans to survive the crush but his thoughts on Saturday will be with the families of those who tragically lost their lives when he sits down in the infamous stand again for an FA Cup tie, this time in the third round watching MK Dons.

"It'll be weird for him to be in the Leppings Lane end which will bring back terrible memories for him," said Robinson who was born in Liverpool.

"To go there in the FA Cup is a little bit of a moment for me. It's obviously got tremendous sentimental value for me. My whole family will be there to support me but also to pay their respects."

A protracted campaign for justice for the fans who died in the terrace crush received a huge boost in September when an independent report ruled that 41 fans might have been saved had they been treated in time.

It also said that the police had failed to do enough and tried to blame Liverpool supporters. Last month the inquest verdicts of those who died were quashed.

"The justice campaign has had a tremendous impact on Liverpool as a city," said Robinson who was eight at the time of the tragedy.

"Obviously the single that has come out has bolstered the campaign. It's nice that their voices are now starting to get heard. When you fight for things so much and you know what you are saying is true, it is worth fighting for in any walk of life.

"Those people have gone through so much heartache and so much pain and so many knock backs.

"But they've kept walking through walls and doors that people said would never be opened. In 1989 those people never returned, it's a solemn point.

"Now I think football has moved on tremendously well in the safety capacity."

The tie will also be poignant for Ryan Lowe, Darren Potter and Jon Otsemobor.

"They will know people who'd been at the game, and they all once played for Sheffield Wednesday too so they've got other reasons to enjoy the challenge," Robinson said.

"It'll be nice for us to go and enjoy the challenge of going to Hillsborough," he said. "We'll look forward to it. It's a nice occasion for us to go and play football."

COMING HOME: Izale McLeod is poised to return to MK Dons
Picture: Andy Handley

Dons poised to swoop for Izale McLeod

DONS are on the verge of bringing Izale McLeod, the club's all-time leading scorer, back to stadiummk on a free transfer.

The striker was released by League One rivals Portsmouth by mutual consent on New Year's Eve and is prepared to take a pay cut to rejoin the club he scored 60 goals for between 2004-07.

He met with manager Karl Robinson on Monday to discuss the move and the club are now just thrashing out the finer points of the deal.

Robinson has never hidden his admiration for the 28-year-old and hopes to have the striker in place for the League One game with Bury.

"We're not too far away," Robinson said. "It's a case of dotting the i's and crossing the t's. It's tremendous news.

"Izale McLeod massively wants to be at this football club. Financially, he had to take a hit and he's done it for this football club.

"He's a more mature player than we had, and he's coming here very hungry.

"But he's a player who will have to come here and fight for his place. He's not guaranteed a place in this team."

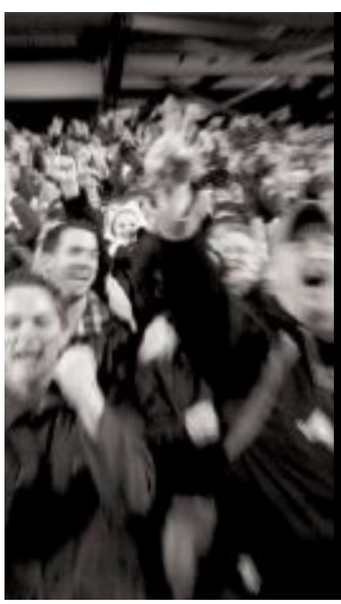
McLeod joined Charlton in 2007 but still lives in the area and was at stadiummk for the FA Cup second-round tie with AFC Wimbledon.

"We've tried [to bring him back] before and just not been able to do it." Robinson said. "The circumstances with where Portsmouth are at the moment financially means it's worked."

The arrival of McLeod could mean fellow striker Jabo Ibehre, who has just returned from a loan spell at Colchester, exits the club.

Robinson met with Ibehre, 29, on New Year's Eve and knows he has to generate room in his budget to bring in new faces.

■ Harley reflects on his dream start to life at MK Dons against Notts County on New Year's Day. See page, 43



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C2F404XA	Floral Design - Contemporary Table Arrangements	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Create a contemporary design for home and office
C2F403XA	Floral Design - Spring/Easter	Rivers ACE Centre	23/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Celebrate the arrival of spring with inspiring ideas for displays
C2F406XA	Floral Design for Maximum Impact	Rivers ACE Centre	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Go big, go bold for dramatic effect
C2C402XA	Gardeners' ' World' - Kitchen Gardening	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	12:30	14:30	10 wks	£105	£84	Understand the basic principles of kitchen and allotment gardening
C2F400XA	Gardeners' 'World' - Propagating, Pruning and Potting Up	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Get your garden in shape for great spring and summer displays
C2F407XA	Herbalism - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	16/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Learn about the history of traditional herbal medicine and how to identify common medicinal plants; includes short herb walk
C2B408XA	Herbalism for Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Learn about the history of traditional herbal medicine and how to identify common medicinal plants
C2B409XA	Practical Herbalism - Spring/Summer	Rivers ACE Centre	26/02/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	5 wks	£53	£42	Spring tonics and herbs for a healthy diet
Health, Fitness and Beauty										
J2B460WA	Bollywood Just Jhoom - Beginners	MK Academy	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	20:00	10 wks	£53	£42	Improve your fitness while learning some sassy new moves
G2F404XA	Bridal Makeup - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	How to create a lasting beautiful look for your special day
A2F400XA	Eastern Massage Techniques	Rivers ACE Centre	09/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Expand your knowledge of massage for fun and relaxation
A2F402XA	Emergency First Aid at Work	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	You will receive a certificate and manual upon successful completion
G2A400XA	Hairdressing - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	Learn how to cut and style and get advice on colouring techniques
G2F410XA	Indian Head Massage	Rivers ACE Centre	23/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Massage techniques for face, head, neck, shoulders & upper arms
G2F401XA	Nail Art - an Introduction	Rivers ACE Centre	09/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Create beautiful designs on nails
A2B401XA	Reflexology	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	21:00	8 wks	£84	£67	A safe natural therapy which can revitalise you
H2D403ZA	Swimming Beginners - Mixed Group	Watling Way Pool	17/01/2013	Th	18:30	19:30	10 wks	£53	£42	Gain water confidence as you learn to swim
H2B401ZA	Swimming Beginners - Women only	Watling Way Pool	15/01/2013	Tu	18:30	19:30	10 wks	£53	£42	Gain water confidence as you learn to swim
H2B402ZA	Swimming Beginners Plus - Women only	Watling Way Pool	15/01/2013	Tu	20:30	21:30	10 wks	£53	£42	Improve your water confidence and develop new strokes
H2D404ZA	Swimming Improvers - Mixed Group	Watling Way Pool	17/01/2013	Th	19:30	20:30	10 wks	£53	£42	You should be confident in water and wish to improve your stroke technique
H2B400ZA	Swimming Improvers - Women only	Watling Way Pool	15/01/2013	Tu	19:30	20:30	10 wks	£53	£42	You should be confident in water and wish to improve your stroke technique
History										
K2A401LA	Family History - First Steps	CMK Library	04/03/2013	Mo	18:15	20:45	4 wks	£53	£42	The essential introduction to tracing your family tree
K2A400LA	Family History - Problem Solving & Recording	CMK Library	14/01/2013	Mo	18:30	20:30	5 wks	£53	£42	Techniques to try when you hit a brick wall in your research
K2F403XA	Local History - Vikings in Milton Keynes	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	The scourge of Europe from Paris to Peterborough, but who were these invaders?
K2F404XA	Local History - Normans in Milton Keynes	Rivers ACE Centre	16/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	1066 and all that. Why did William conquer?
K2F402XA	Understanding Architecture - Georgian Period	Rivers ACE Centre	26/01/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Investigate the influence of art, social and political changes on architecture in the 18th and 19th centuries.
Languages										
M2F403XA	All Day French - Absolute Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Survival language for busy people
M2F404XA	All Day French - Revive your Rusty O Level/GCSE	Rivers ACE Centre	23/03/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Brush up your French for work or holiday
M2F405XA	All Day Spanish - Absolute Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	02/02/2013	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	£40	£32	Survival language for busy people
M2C406XA	Chinese - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	A continuation course for those who have completed Intermediate/GCSE in the recent past
M2D408XA	French - Intermediate	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	For those who have completed 120 hours in the recent past
M2A416CA	French - Intermediate	Stantonbury Campus	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	For those who have completed 120 hours in the recent past
M2B407XA	French - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	10:00	12:00	10 wks	£105	£84	A chance to develop reading, writing and grammar as well as speaking and listening skills
M2C409XA	German - Moving on to Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	A continuation course for those who have completed an Intermediate course in the recent past but newcomers welcome
M2C411XA	Italian - First Steps	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	20:30	5 wks	£40	£32	Survival language for busy people
M2C412XA	Italian - Next Steps	Rivers ACE Centre	27/02/2013	We	19:00	20:30	15 wks	£118	£95	For those who have completed First Steps or equivalent
M2A410XA	Italian - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	A continuation course for those who have reached A-level standard and wish to improve their speaking and listening skills
M2C413XA	Japanese - Moving on to Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	16/01/2013	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	£105	£84	For learners who have completed an Intermediate in the recent past but newcomers welcome
M2B414XA	Lip-reading - Beginners	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	19:00	20:30	10 wks	£79	£63	Discounts available for learners referred by GPs or Audiology
M2A415XA	Lip-reading - Improvers	Rivers ACE Centre	14/01/2013	Mo	10:00	11:30	10 wks	£79	£63	Discounts available for learners referred by GPs or Audiology
M2B400XA	Russian - Advanced	Rivers ACE Centre	15/01/2013	Tu	19:30	21:30	10 wks	£105	£84	A continuation course for those who have reached A-level standard and wish to improve their speaking and listening skills
M2B402WA	Spanish - Next Steps	MK Academy	26/02/2013	Tu	19:00	20:30	15 wks	£118	£95	For those who have completed First Steps or equivalent
TutorTraining										
N2D401XQ	Award in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector	Rivers ACE Centre	07/03/2013	Th	18:30	21:00	15 wks	£237	£237	This qualification provides an introduction to teaching and training adults
N2B400XQ	Award in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector	Rivers ACE Centre	05/03/2013	Tu	09:30	12:00	15 wks	£237	£237	This qualification provides an introduction to teaching and training adults
Offer for the Unemployed										Participants must be Job Seekers in receipt of relevant allowances; other short free vocational courses are available – please enquire
Q2E411MQ	Preparing to to Work in an Office	CMK ACE Centre	18/01/2013	Fr	09:30	12:30	5 wks	£0	£0	Effective skills, qualities and attitudes for learning and work in an office
F2A404CQ	Spreadsheets - Basic Formulae, Charts & Graphs Level 1	Stantonbury Campus	14/01/2013	Mo	19:00	21:00	8 wks	£0	£0	Get to grips with Excel and build the confidence and speed which employers value
F2D415XQ	Produce Documents - MS Word Level 1	Rivers ACE Centre	17/01/2013	Th	09:30	12:30	5 wks	£0	£0	Improve your accuracy, formatting and typing speed

Adult Continuing Education

Job Clubs

Are you unemployed and claiming JSA or ESA (WRAG)?

- Do you need help to check your CV or update your job search skills?
- Do you need assistance with job applications?
- Do you need advice on employability training?

ACE and Milton Keynes College are working together with Job Centre Plus and a range of voluntary and community organisations to provide Neighbourhood Employment Programme locally based Job Clubs to help young people and adults back into work.

All our weekly drop-in Job Clubs open up again from Monday 7 January in Beanhill, Bradville, Coffee Hall, Conniburrow, Central Milton Keynes, Eaton Manor (Lakes), Fishermead, Netherfield, Springfield, West Bletchley and Wolverton. You can also book to see an adviser at Leadenhall, Netherfield (Hedgerows Children's Centre), New Bradwell or Tinkers Bridge.

Are you aged 19-24 and unemployed?

Did you know we have a Job Club just for you every Thursday afternoon at the Buszy near Milton Keynes Central Station? Call 01908 556765 for more information

Are you aged 16-18 and not in education, employment or training?

There are drop-in Job Clubs just for you at Beanhill, the Lakes and Wolverton.

Contact us now on **01908 556765** or visit
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ACE fee policy 2012-13

Reduced fees on course codes ending in Q

You do not need to pay the full fee on courses leading to a qualification if you are:

- Over 16 and under 19 on 31/08/2012
- Unemployed and in receipt of JSA or ESA (Work Related Group)
- Unemployed in receipt of income-based benefit and believe the qualification will help you get a job or set up your own business

Reduced fees on course codes ending in A

You do not need to pay the full fee on personal development courses if you are 65 or over, receive certain benefits or allowances or are the unwaged dependant of someone in receipt of an income-based benefit. Please visit our website or phone us to check whether you are entitled to a 20% concession.

You will need to enrol in person and show us evidence of your age or benefit at the time of enrolment.

If you have a disability and/or learning difficulty please contact us on 01908 556751/adult.education@milton-keynes.gov.uk or Text Relay to find out what extra help we can provide

Enrol now online or by phone on 01908 556760

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